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ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

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A simulated sharp edged sparring weapon with a simulated blade, having a channel ingrained along one or both edges thereof or a chalk retaining member removably attached to the blade . The weapon is used to mark with ink, chalk, or other marking material. A marking-compound retaining and wicking member is seated within each channel, and a handle is attached to the blade. Each marking-compound retaining and wicking member preferably comprises a strip of material adhered along the edge of the blade. A reservoir, for containing ink, is within the weapon and is in fluid communication with the marking-compound-retaining and wicking member. The weapon includes a means for urging ink from the reservoir onto the marking-compound-retaining and wicking member. Chalk applied liberally to the marking-compound retaining member will adhere thereto until it comes into contact with another surface, whereupon it marks said surface. Ink added to the reservoir and urged onto the marking-compound-retaining and wicking member will likewise adhere thereto until it comes into contact with another surface, whereupon it marks said surface. The knife can be used for sparring, teaching and training, and will clearly mark each strike. When the chalk or ink is depleted, it may be recharged.

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